### PATENT APPLICATION

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In re the Application of

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Application No.: 09/435,766

November 8, 1999

For: SEMICONDUCTOR DEVICE HAVING REDUCED ON RESISTANCE (AS AMENDED)

Director of the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office Washington, D.C. 20231

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AMENDMENT

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In reply to the Office Action mailed August 8, 2001, please amend the aboveidentified application as follows:

### IN THE CLAIMS:

Please cancel claims 2 and 3 without prejudice or disclaimer.

Please replace claims 1, 4 and 12 as follows:

(Twice Amended) A bipolar semiconductor device comprising:

a drain electrode;

a drain region formed of a p+-type semiconductor and disposed on the drain

electrode;

a drift region having a second conductive type different from the conductive

by type of the drain region and disposed on the drain region;

a channel region having the second conductive type and disposed on the drift;

region;

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